

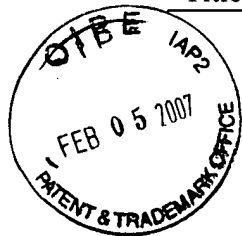
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Brian Jones et al.	Examiner:	Chen, Qing
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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ISSUING A MESSAGE TO A PROGRAM



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 3-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed August 2, 2006, said period of response being extended from November 2, 2006 to February 2, 2007.

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